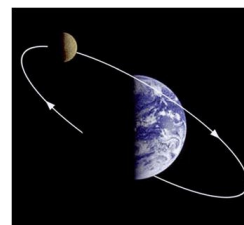


THE STAR VALLEY ORBIT

The newsletter revolving around our rural lifestyle and pioneer spirit



MARCH 2009

Meet your Star Valley Town Council & staff



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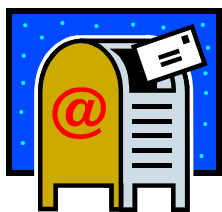
Council Members:

(Back Row) Mayor Chuck Heron, and Vice-Mayor Bill Rappaport
(Front Row) Barbara Hartwell and Del Newland



Town Hall Staff:

(Back Row) Joe Janusz, Building Official; Sarah Luckie, Town Clerk; Tim Grier, Town Manager
(Front Row) Stephanie Jones, Deputy Town Clerk and Josie Castillo, Executive Assistant



If you have an article that you would like to include in The Star Valley Orbit or to receive our newsletter electronically, please email Josie at:
jcastillo@ci.star-valley.az.us
We are happy to consider all submissions.

An interesting piece of Star Valley history



Sarah Luckie, in front of the Cline Ranch Building on Moonlight Drive where her father, Malcolm, was born in 1918.



Sarah (Pyle) Luckie, front right, with her parents Malcolm and Carol and little sister Paula, front left in a photo taken in 1953.

Our Town Clerk, Sarah Louise (Pyle) Luckie, has roots in Star Valley dating back to the 1800's. Her grandparents, Elwood and Sarah, traded their California property for 260 acres in Star Valley. Her grandfather and father were both born in Star Valley. In fact, the home where her father Malcolm was born, is still standing on Moonlight Drive. The family purchased land between Houston Creek and Mayfield Canyon and formed the Cross V Cattle Company. Sarah helped with the cattle roundup since the age of 10. She attended school in the Payson Rock Building, which is now Julia Randall Elementary. She was privileged to have Julia Randall as her first grade teacher. Sarah, true to her married name, says "I am the luckiest person around as I have my daughter and her husband and my 2 beautiful granddaughters living next door in Star Valley". Sarah is active with the Payson Women's Club and the Daughters of Gila County Pioneers. She is truly a piece of Star Valley's history and heritage, a true pioneer.

Featured Business of the month: EAST VERDE TRADING COMPANY

Are you looking for furniture, décor or a simple gift for a friend? The East Verde Trading Company is your one-stop shop. They feature artistic western and lodge furnishings, accessories, pictures and gifts at the best prices. Stop in and say hello to



Janell Holzwarth, owner of East Verde Trading Company. They are located across the street from the Fire Station and behind the Moose Lodge. Ladies, this is the perfect store to bring your out-of-town guests for that true Rim Country shopping experience. Look for East Verde Trading Company at the East end of Star Valley.



Location: 77 Walters Lane, Star Valley, AZ 85541

Hours of operation: 10AM—5PM, Monday—Saturday, Closed Sunday

Phone number: (928) 474-4100

Volunteers needed

The Town of Star Valley will be receiving a new van in the month of March. We will be needing volunteers to deliver hot meals to local residents who participate in the Meals on Wheels Program. If you are interested, please contact our Deputy Town Clerk Stephanie Jones at (928) 472-7752 for more details.



Town of Payson / Star Valley Gila County Rabies Control

Low Cost Rabies Vaccination Clinic
Saturday April 04, 2009
AT

Main Street Animal Clinic
411 W. Main Street
10am—2pm

Rabies Vaccination \$10.00



Licensing Fees For All Dogs!!!

Unaltered Spayed/Neutered

Town of Payson	\$20	\$7
Town of Star Valley	\$7	\$5
Gila County	\$15	\$7

Other vaccinations will be available upon request. Your pet is required to be secured at all times. If you have any questions, please call 474-9292

March 2009

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
1	2	3	4	5	6	7
8	9	10	11	12	13	14
15	16	 17	18	19 	20	21
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
29	30	31				

- 3/3-Town Council Mtg @ 6:30pm, Star Valley Baptist Church
- 3/5-Water & Sewer Comm Mtg @ 6pm, Star Valley Town Hall
- 3/10-Planning & Zoning Comm Mtg @ 6pm, Star Valley Town Hall
- 3/12-Streets & Roads Comm Mtg @ 6pm, Star Valley Town Hall
- 3/17-St. Patrick's Day
- 3/17-Town Council Mtg @ 6:30pm, Star Valley Baptist Church
- 3/19-Floodwater Taskforce Mtg @ 6pm, Star Valley Town Hall
- 3/20-First day of Spring
- 3/31-Mayor's Crack-barrel Mtg

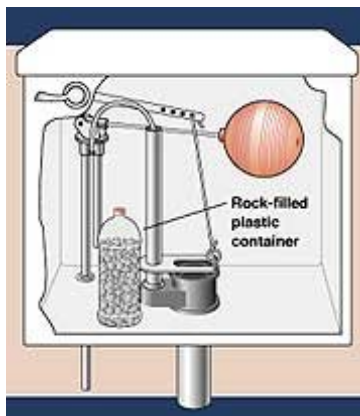
Water Conservation Tip of the Month


Water use in the home

Toilets	28%
Clothes washing	22%
Showers	21%
Faucets	12%
Baths	9%
Toilet leakage	5%
Dish washing	3%

Replace your old Toilet, the largest water user inside your home. If your home was built before 1992 and the toilet has never been replaced, then it is very likely that you do not have a water efficient

1.6 gallon per flush toilet. You can check the date stamp inside the toilet by lifting the lid and looking at the back of the toilet at the manufacturer's imprint of the make, model and date of manufacture. If you cannot afford to replace your toilet, place "toilet dams" or rock-filled containers in the tank of older flush toilets. For more details and water saving tips, go to: www.thisland.uiuc.edu





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